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Y. M. C. A.

To THE CITIZENS OF WOODSTOCK:

For several years a Young Men's Christian Association for this town has been under consideration.

Its desirability is scarcely a debatable question. Few persons whose opinions are of any value would care to negative the proposition. The best class of citizens believe that the church needs such an ally as the Y. M. C. A. in giving spiritual, intellectual, and physical training to the young men and boys of this town.

Regarding its feasibility there has been a difference of opinion, a majority, perhaps, believing that while such an institution was needed, the men and money to carry on the work successfully were not obtainable. Y. M. C. A.'s had been organized in towns larger than this and had been swamped by financial difficulties. These disheartening facts are not unknown to the friends of the enterprise; but believing that what is of God cannot fail, and learning from the failures and successes of others how to avoid the shipwreck of the one and take advantage of the factors that make the others successful, we believe that a Y. M. C. A. can be organized and successfully carried on in "this city of churches."

To this end, we ask for the co-operation of all the men and women in this town who are interested in the welfare of our young men and boys.

Suitable rooms are secured and will be ready for occupancy by the first of next October. They consist of parlor, reading room and gymnasium. Parlor and reading room are each 25 feet in length and can be, when required, thrown into one room, making a suitable hall for lectures, entertainments and religious services. The gymnasium is 50 by 30 and will be well equipped with apparatus and furnished with lavatories, etc.

The parlor will be made home like and attractive. In the reading room will be found the leading daily and weekly newspapers, the best magazines and the nucleus of an ever growing library. During the winter evenings educational classes will be conducted by competent teachers in book keeping, mechanical drawing, and other subjects such as the needs of our young men may demand. An Athletic instructor will have charge of the gymnasium and will direct the physical exercises. A good moral tone will pervade the whole institution which will be under the direct oversight of a secretary trained for the work, and supported by a board of directors.

The rental of the building, including steam heat, will be \$175.00 per annum for ten years, lease renewable. The expense of furnishing will be considerably lessened by contributions of furniture from friends. The gymnasium can be fitted for \$100. The parlor and reading room, exclusive of piano for parlor, for \$100.00. The literature, after the sale of papers and magazines, will cost \$50.00 per year. The salary of the general secretary for the winter months will be \$300.00 and that of the janitor \$50.00.

The revenue from members will probably not exceed \$300.00, as the membership fee will be made purposely small in order to reach the largest possible number of young men. The outlay including rent will for the first year be approximately \$800.00. There will, therefore, be left a balance of \$500.00 to be collected. After the first year there will be a further reduction of \$200.00 which this year will be expended in furniture. And if after the expiration of that time, a secretary can be secured from our own ranks, the fees from members ought nearly to meet the reduced expenditure.

Believing that this enterprise is God's enterprise, and believing also that we ought to do more than we have hitherto done to shield our young men and boys from the temptations to which they are exposed, to lead them to the development of their best possibilities, we confidently appeal to the Christian men and women of this town for their co-operation in this work to which we believe God has called us.

A committee will visit all the young men and boys of this town during the next few days to solicit members for the Y. M. C. A. which will be formally organized in the near future.

The business men and others interested in the welfare of our young men will also be waited upon by another delegation. The object of this visit, will be to interest these people in the work, and to solicit subscriptions for its carrying on the same.

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W. W. HAY,
H. G. NOBLE,
E. S. KIRKPATRICK,
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D. CHAPMAN,
JOSHUA DENTON,
JAS. WHITESIDE,
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Pastors. |
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Captain Sweeney, U. S. A.

San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by Garden Bros.

Died of Hydrophobia.

SUMMIT, N. J., May 23.—John P. Edwards a machinist, died here this morning, after a few days illness, of hydrophobia. His sufferings and convulsions for 36 hours before the end came were heartrending, although toward the last he was relieved somewhat by the application of the Pasteur cure by Dr. Gibier of the Pasteur Institute, New York. This treatment was administered too late to save the man's life, but it reduced considerably the violence of the convulsions which from time to time overcame the patient. Edwards was bitten on March 29 by a pet bird dog.

Birthday Honors.

OTTAWA, May 22.—His Excellency has received official intimation of the bestowal of the G. C. M. G. on Sir Donald Smith and of the K. C. M. G. on Hon. Joseph A. Chapleau and Chief Justice William R. Meredith, and he has notified these gentlemen of the honor conferred upon them.

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THE MUSINGS OF THE WICKED IMP.

STAFF AFLAME WITH POLITICAL EXCITEMENT.

The Political Editor's Journeys.—A Sly Hit or Two at the Sporting Editor.—Can a Soldier Fight and be a Christian.—A Notable Historical Novel Reviewed.



Can christianity and war go hand in hand? One would not think so after reading the words of the great teacher as given in the gospels, and yet in all highly christian countries we have great military displays, and grand sermons in which the calling of a "christian soldier" is set forth. Let us fancy two men in deadly conflict, during the course of a battle. One of them masters the other and kills him. The dead man passes into the unseen with a look of hatred on his face. It requires some sketch of imagination to fancy such a man going at once into the place of the blessed. The illustrious Samuel Johnson tells us of a soldier who resigned his commission, and on his sovereign asking the reason, the soldier replied that he thought there ought to be some time allowed for a soldier, between his life and death to make his peace with his Maker.

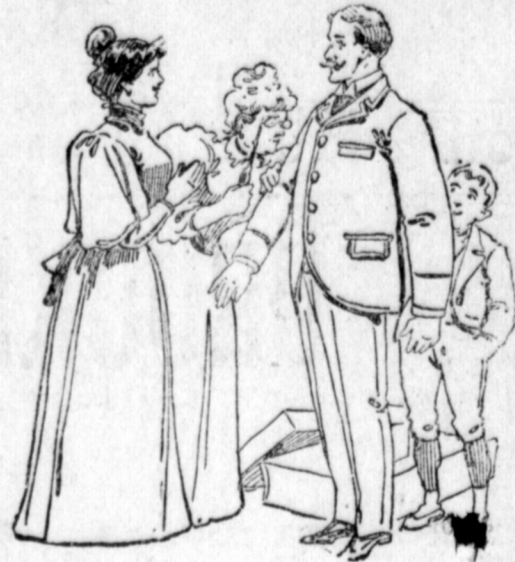
The religious editor and the sporting editor had a little conversation on matters political a day or so ago. The religious editor removed a quantity of the sport's ear, and as he spat it out of his mouth he remarked that he could knock the socks off his opponent. They are warmly interested in the election. One is a Queen's ward healer for the grits, and the other for the Tories. The political editor maintains a calm and placid indifference. He wrote a long editorial on Russia last week. He is preparing one on China now. It is his intention to make a tour of the world through the editorial columns and he is not expected to get back to Canada until after the 23rd of June. When the candidates come in to impress him with their view of the issues, he opens up with a long harangue on the condition of women in Japan, the state of trade in Australia, or the prospects for the English in South Africa. He is a sort of "Wandering Willie" and if he lives through this campaign his expectation of life will be good.

The sporting editor is wearing golf stockings. He really thinks he's a beauty, but if he could see himself as I see him he would go down to the new bridge, jump off and cry "here goes nothing nowhere." A man asked him yesterday if he intended to exhibit his calves at the Centreville exhibition in October. Between the religious editor and myself we have the poor sport almost daft. I'm afraid he will go crazy. Of course he wouldn't have far to go. Some one suggested that he feed his calves hay—stuff a quantity of it inside his hose—but he indignantly repudiated the suggestion and he continues to walk about in danger of being arrested as a vagrant with no visible means of support.

Some of the ratepayers of the town are kicking because there is such a big item in the proposed expenditure of this coming year, under the head of miscellaneous. They are in a want-to-know sort of a mood. Now, in bigger concerns than town councils, there is something put down for miscellaneous. For instance, sometimes members of government go away, as delegates, and there are certain expenses that come under the head of miscellaneous. Perhaps the council is going to send a deputation to Hartland to examine the sidewalks, and as such official visits always mean setting her up a bit, miscellaneous may be for some such purpose.

A novel by Gilbert Parker, who has written so much and so well about Canada, particularly the Northwest, its mounted police and half breeds, is not to be overlooked. His new novel "The Seats of the Mighty," from the Putnams, New York, demands admission to the table of every man and woman who loves the history of Canada. The story has to do with the period after Braddock's dire disaster, down to the fall of Quebec. He recounts the adventures of a young Scotchman of Virginia, a hostage to the French, held as a prisoner of war at Quebec because of some letters in his possession which LaPompador wants to get hold of. His attempts to escape are exciting, and his final and successful attempt is daring. The taking of Quebec is a most interesting description. The love story involved in the book is a beautiful picture of devotion and comes out happily at last. Bigot, the Intendant, and Vaudreuil the Governor of Quebec, figure prominently. Doltaire, the gentleman soldier, and intriguer is a character one will always welcome back if he happens to drop out of a chapter which he seldom does. He is a fascinating and lovable devil. Every Canadian should read this story. W. H. Everett, Woodstock, has it in stock.

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